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October 7, 2013

## **MEMORANDUM TO FILE**

TO:

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FROM:

Malika Davis, Public Utility Analyst

**SUBJECT:** 

In The Matter Of The Application Of PJM Wholesale Brokers, LLC d/b/a US Grid

Wholesale For Approval Of A Name Change To US Grid Energy, LLC (Filed October 7,

2013) - PSC Docket No. 13-386T

On October 7, 2013 PJM Wholesale Brokers, LLC ("PWB") filed an application with the Delaware Public Service Commission ("Commission") to change its name to US Grid Energy, LLC. ("US Grid" or "Company"). PWB originally filed an application for an Electric Supplier Certificate ("ESC") on January 29, 2013. On April 5, 2013 PWB amended its application by filing a trade name to operate in the State of Delaware under the name of US Grid Wholesale. An ESC was originally granted to PWB d/b/a US Grid Wholesale. <sup>1</sup>

In the application in the instant docket, PWB is requesting for the name change to US Grid to be effective immediately. PWB filed a Certificate of Amendment with the Delaware Division of Corporations on June 19, 2013, changing its name to US Grid. In the application, the Company included proof from the Delaware Secretary of State that it is legally authorized and qualified to do business in the State of Delaware.

The Company does not serve any Delaware customers at this time. Therefore, it does not appear that the requested name change will affect electric supply service to any Delaware customers.

PWB's request for a name change appears to be reasonable and meets the requirements of 26 *Del. Admin. C.* §3001 (the "Supplier Rules"). Among other things, the application satisfies the requirements of Section 2.1.1.1 of the Supplier Rules (Authority to do business in Delaware). Staff, therefore, recommends the Commission recognize the name change by PJM Wholesale Brokers, LLC to US Grid Energy, LLC.

cc: Ms. Alisa Bentley, Commission Secretary

Ms. Connie McDowell, Senior Regulatory Policy Administrator

Mr. Michael Lento, US Grid Energy

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Order No. 8305, issued April 23, 2013 in Docket No. 13-46.



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Mr. Michael Lento US Grid Energy, LLC 18 Abbott Road Hamilton, NJ 08690

Re:

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Dear Mr. Lento,

Enclosed is a copy of Staff's Memorandum recommending recognition of the requested name change in the subject docket. No further action by the Delaware Public Service Commission is required. The List of Certified Electric Suppliers maintained by the Commission on its website<sup>1</sup> has been revised to reflect the requested name change.

Please let me know if you have any questions on the above, or if I can be of any further assistance in this matter. I can be reached by phone at 302-736-7521 or via email at malika.davis@state.de.us.

Sincerely,

Malika Davis

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**Enclosure: Staff Memorandum** 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> http://depsc.delaware.gov/electric/elecsupplierinfo.pdf